



Humpback Whale Protections Working Group

Member List

Working Group: Humpback Whale Protections

Working Group Chair: Jim Coon

Working Group Staff Lead: David Mattila

Members (Name, Affiliation):

- Jim Coon
Whale Watching Seat, Sanctuary Advisory Council (Maui)
- Adam Pack
Chair and Research Seat, Sanctuary Advisory Council and Scientific expert (Hawai'i Island)
- Alex Sheftic
Hawai'i County Seat, Sanctuary Advisory Council (Hawai'i Island)
- Eric Kingma
Sanctuary Advisory Council and Western Pacific Regional Fisheries Management Council (O'ahu)
- Eric Roberts
Sanctuary Advisory Council and U.S. Coast Guard (O'ahu)
- Greg Kaufman
Alternate Whale Watching Seat, Sanctuary Advisory Council (Maui)
- Hannah Bernard
Alternate Research Seat, Sanctuary Advisory Council and Hawaii Wildlife Fund (Maui)
- Lisa Van Atta (or designate)
Sanctuary Advisory Council and NOAA Fisheries PIRO (O'ahu)
- Phil Fernandez
Fishing Seat, Sanctuary Advisory Council (Hawai'i Island)
- William Aila (or designate)
Sanctuary Advisory Council and DLNR (O'ahu)
- Bobby Lu'uwai
Private Fisher (Maui)
- Dale Hazlehurst
Commercial Shipping (O'ahu)
- Kevin Millet or Mel Willis (or designate)
Commercial tour boats (Kauai)
- Lou Herman
Former Sanctuary Advisory Council and Scientific expert (O'ahu)



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- Marsha Green
Ocean Mammal Institute, Conservation
- Randy Awo (or designate)
DOCARE (Maui)

Potential Technical experts:

- Joe Mobley
Distribution expert (Oahu)
- Greg Levine or Kristy West
Veterinarians (Oahu)
- Mark Lammers
Acoustics expert (Oahu)

[If Applicable] Technical Experts Identified:

- Sanctuary Interagency Law Enforcement Task Force